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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Lieven Stuyver

Serial No.: 09/720,435

Filed: June 25, 2001

For: METHOD FOR DETECTION OF DRUG-
SELECTED MUTATIONS IN THE HIV
PROTEASE GENE

Confirmation No.: 1489

Group Art Unit: 1634

Examiner: Gary Williams

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 1, 2002**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant petitions for an extension of time of one month to and including December 1, 2002 in which to respond to the Office Action dated October 1, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 01-2508/11362.0030.PCUS00 for a one-month extension of time. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason

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relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from
Deposit Account No. 01-2508/**11362.0030.PCUS00**.

Respectfully submitted,



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